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Sir:

As a means of complying with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, and in accordance with 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98, Applicant(s), through the undersigned attorney, submits this Information Disclosure Statement. The patents, publications or other information submitted herewith are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and copies are attached, excluding U.S. patents and publications.

English abstract translations for European Patent No. EP 0 320 895 A1 and German Patent No. DE 195 19 069 A1 are enclosed. European Patent No. EP 0 703 762 (copy not available) is the PCT National Publication of WO 94/12128 and is equivalent to U.S. Patent No. 5,591,144. European Patent No. EP 0 768 848 (copy not available) is the PCT National Publication of WO 96/01090 and is equivalent to U.S. Patent No. 5,938,647. European Patent No. EP 0

768 849 (copy not available) is the PCT National Publication of WO 96/01091 and is equivalent to U.S. Patent No. 5,690,622. The Examiner is requested to make these references of record in the file of this application.

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